

FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

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Elizabeth Foote, Treasurer Jazz PAC 607 14th Street NW, Suite 800 Washington, DC 20005

Response Due Date: October 17, 2005

Identification Number:

C00405290

Reference:

Mid-Year Report (04/01/05-06/30/05)

Dear Ms. Foote:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report(s) referenced above. This notice requests information essential to full public disclosure of your federal election campaign finances. An adequate response must be received at the Commission by the response date noted above. An itemization of the information needed follows:

-Schedule A of your 2005 12 Day Pre-Special, 30 Day Post-Special, and Mid-Year reports disclose transfers totaling \$46,068.64 from the Big Easy 2005, which is a joint fundraising committee affiliated with your committee. The sum of the entries itemized on the memo Schedule A, however, total only \$41,432.72.

Please be advised that a <u>memo</u> Schedule A must be provided to itemize <u>your committee's share</u> of the gross contributions received through the joint fundraiser. The memo schedule should itemize each individual who has contributed an aggregate in excess of \$200 during the calendar year, and provide the amount of unitemized contributions received. In addition, the memo schedule should itemize your committee's share of all contributions from political committees, regardless of amount. 11 CFR §102.17(c)(8)(i)(B) Please clarify this discrepancy.

-Please clarify all expenditures made for "Fundraising Consulting Services" on Schedule B. If a portion or all of these expenditures were made on behalf of specifically identified federal candidates, this amount should be